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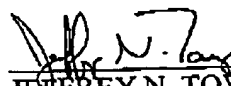
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Sir:

This supplemental response augments the July 5, 2005 response to the non-final Office Action mailed January 4, 2005. The supplemental response includes a copy of the declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 that has been executed by Dr. Harald Jakob. Besides the signature of Dr. Jakob, there is no difference between the signed declaration submitted in this supplemental response and the unsigned declaration submitted in the July 5, 2005 response. As the July 5, 2005 response was complete on its face, Applicants do not believe that any fees are due with the filing of this supplemental response.

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